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Honorable Stansfield Turner Director of Central Intelligence Washington, D.C. 20505

Dear Admiral Turner:

This is in reference to my letter to you of December 22, 1973 in which I described the upcoming hearings the Committee will hold concerning the protection and unauthorized use of national security information.

You will have noted that at one stage of the hearings the Committee wishes to examine certain cases that involved espionage or leaks of classified information which were not prosecuted. Examples of such cases were submitted by the CIA to the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence to assist that Committee's Subcommittee on Secrecy and Disclosure in its 1978 study of this same topic. This Committee will examine these case studies but it wishes as well to conduct its study of the problems underlying such cases on the basis of any more recent cases which fall into the same categories. Accordingly, I would like to request that you provide the Committee with documentation describing any such cases. It would be helpful and, I trust not too burdensome, if you could provide these materials by January 19.

The Committee's Chief Counsel, Michael O'Neil, will be in further communication with your staff contact for these hearings.

With every good wish, I am-

Chairman

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